

# **BLACK (IMMIGRANT) HISTORY MONTH WITH SCOPE AND PAAC**

**SCOPE Spring 2020**



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Student organization advocating for the rights of immigrant/undocumented students and their allies. We engage in political action, service, and education. We fight for a world without borders, cages, or exploitation. We provide services and resources to our members to help them succeed.

# SCOPE Meetings

## WHEN/WHERE

- › Every other Wednesday
- › 6-7 PM
- › LBJSC 3.21-1

## CONTACT

- › GroupMe
- › Facebook, Instagram,  
**Twitter:** @SCOPETXST
- › Encourage your friends to join!



# Upcoming News

## Spring Fundraiser

**WHAT:** mango aguas frescas, fruit cups with Tajín and chamoy, butterfly pens

**WHEN:** March 4 in the Quad

Volunteer opportunity!  
Sign-up will go out later.



## Events

Leadership Institute  
Conference: February 28-29

HPN Monarch Summit:  
March 27 from 9 AM-3 PM  
at LBJ 3-14.1

HPN Symposium: April 17  
from 10:30 AM-2 PM in LBJ  
Ballroom



# Special Guest: PAAC

Pan-African Action Committee

- what PAAC does
- how we can honor/support black immigrants
- anything else you would like to add

# Black Immigrant History

## Past

- › slavery ≠ immigration
- › pre-1965, most Africans were largely prohibited from immigrating to the United States
- › “Fourth Great Migration” refers to influx of immigrants from Africa in later part of 20th century

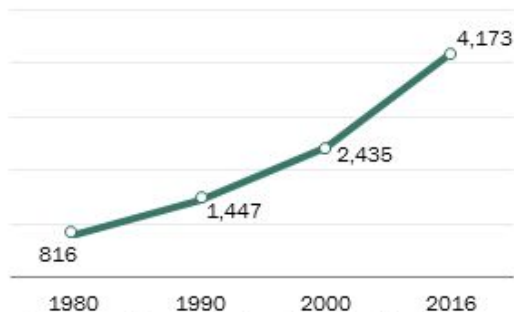
## Present

- › Over the past several decades:
  - › increased immigration from Africa
  - › Jamaican, Haitian, other Caribbean diasporas have also raised immigrant populations

# Statistics

## Black immigrant population in the U.S. rose to 4.2 million in 2016

Total foreign-born black population in the U.S., in thousands



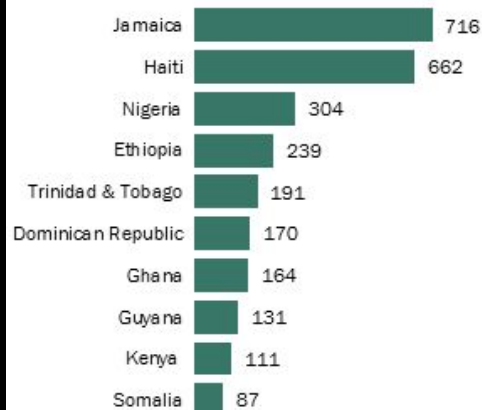
Note: In 2000 and later, foreign-born blacks include single-race blacks and multiracial blacks, regardless of Hispanic origin. Prior to 2000, blacks include only single-race blacks regardless of Hispanic origin since a multiracial option was not available.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of the 2016 American Community Survey (1% IPUMS) and the 1980, 1990 and 2000 censuses (5% IPUMS).

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## Jamaica, Haiti, Nigeria are top birthplaces for black immigrants in U.S.

Total foreign-born black population in the U.S., in thousands, 2016



Note: Foreign-born blacks include single-race blacks and multiracial blacks, regardless of Hispanic origin. Top 10 largest black immigrant groups shown.

Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of the 2016 American Community Survey (IPUMS).

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# Black Immigrant Resources

## BAJI

The Black Alliance for Just Immigration (BAJI) believes that a thriving multiracial democracy requires racial, social and economic justice for all.

## RAICES

RAICES defends the rights of immigrants and refugees, empowers individuals, families, and communities, and advocates for liberty and justice.

## State of Black Immigrants

The State of Black Immigrants Research Institute produces innovative research reports, policy advisories and fact sheets, along with advocacy tools for Black organizations and allies.

## ACLU of Texas

The American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Texas is dedicated to reclaiming constitutional and civil rights for all Texans, regardless of immigration status.

## ICLC

Immigrant Community Law Center (ICLC) was founded by African Services Committee in 2012 to provide high-quality, affordable, and trustworthy immigration legal representation.

## UndocuBlack

The UndocuBlack Network is a multigenerational network that fosters community, facilitates access to resources, and contributes to transforming the realities of black immigrants.

# Anything else?

Thank you for coming! Remember  
to sign in and grab some snacks.  
Happy Black History Month!